

## NEUTRALIZE CITY OF MEXICO PLAN URGED BY U. S.

Would Eliminate 1 Natural History and Foreigners in Capital and All Would Be Safe

## VILLA AND ZAPATA ASSENT

Proposition to Be Put Up to Carranza by American Agents at Vera Cruz

WASHINGTON, April 1.—With the hope of securing permanent protection for the 21,000 foreigners in Mexico City, the United States government has proposed to the Villa-Zapata forces and to General Carranza that the Mexican capital be declared neutral and outside the field of operations hereafter in Mexico's civil war.

The Villa-Zapata forces have agreed to the proposal and are willing to evacuate the city as soon as a similar agreement is obtained with the Carranza authorities, who are now being negotiated with.

On General Carranza depends also whether or not the effort of the United States to neutralize the railway between Mexico City and Vera Cruz shall succeed, as the Villa-Zapata officials have likewise given their consent to this proposal.

State department officials decline to discuss the status of the two proposals beyond saying that they still were under consideration. The plan with respect to Mexico City contemplates an arrangement whereby orders would be maintained there by a local council, made up of prominent residents selected by mutual agreement between the opposing factions. The capital would not then, under the terms of the proposed agreement, be subject to further attacks, nor would there be any more changes in government until a central government had been established.

Officials and diplomats here who are conversant with the details of the plan are much encouraged by the prompt acceptance given to it by the Villa-Zapata authorities and are now hoping that General Carranza can be persuaded to do likewise. Official West, personal representative of President Wilson, who, it is understood, will confer with General Carranza at Vera Cruz in the next few days on the Mexican situation in general, probably will assist American Consuls Sullivan and Canada in their efforts to secure Carranza's approval. Later, it is understood, Mr. West will go to Mexico City to talk with the Mexican minister concerning the situation.

## Famine Menace Is Grave

Should the capital be declared neutral, much of the apprehension for the safety of foreigners would be removed and the famine menace eliminated. Since such a step would lessen the likelihood of complication with foreign powers, the plan, in the opinion of American officials, should appeal to all Mexican factions.

No important engagement between the Villa and Carranza forces were reported to the Washington authorities from any source today, dispatches saying that comparative quiet prevailed along the border and that the Mexico City situation was unchanged.

The Brazilian minister at the capital advised the state department that taxes on mining property in Lower California were payable at the capital or at Chihuahua, money deposited in any American bank to the order of the treasurer-general of the de facto government being acceptable for that purpose. The department had inquired if Governor Cantu of Lower California was subject to the orders of the Mexico City government; various owners of American mines there having been puzzled as to how to meet their tax obligations because of confused conditions in Mexico. The status of Governor Cantu was not defined in the reply.

Minor misadventure, the young American arrested by Villa officials on a charge of counterfeiting and who was later released, has complained that his personal effects and the money which caused his arrest was confiscated.

Misadventure entered the territory controlled by Villa, carrying a considerable amount of money. He is being held in custody. The Villa officials require to be revealed. Misadventure asserted that this was done on written order of General Angeles.

## Antiwar Movement Launched in Austria

ROME, April 1 (via Paris).—Adverse reaction here from the Austrian frontier, due to the internal situation in the dual monarchy, is increasingly grave. Opposition to a continuance of the war is said to be growing stronger among the classes which are suffering most from the scarcity of food. Violent antiwar demonstrations are reported to have occurred in several cities, especially Vienna, where a crowd attempted to storm the windows of the war office but was charged by the police and troops. Several persons were said to have been wounded by many others arrested.

## SEWARD TRIAL BEGINS

DENVER, April 1.—The trial of Edward L. Seward charged with the murder of Andrew J. Love, a Valverde, opinion keeper in March, 1914, began today in the west hall court.

## PRES. WILSON DENIES 'INTERVIEW' PRINTED IN THE PARIS TEMP

Quoted on European War and American Policy Toward Mexico

WASHINGTON, April 1.—President Wilson tonight authorized the statement that he had given no interview and had given no expression of opinion about current affairs to Gabriel Alphonse, who, according to the Paris Temps, was purported to be an interview with the president on European and Mexican affairs.

The president said it is known that Mr. Alphonse, who was presented at the White house yesterday by the French ambassador, came merely to pay his respects, and that, although he was secretary-general of the Paris Temps, it was distinctly understood in advance with the ambassador present that there was to be no interview.

The statement also was authorized at the White house that President Wilson had sent no letter recently to President Poincare, as suggested by Mr. Alphonse, but that the letter to which reference was made was sent several months ago by Mr. Wilson as a member of the American Academy of Arts and Letters, in reply to one of President Poincare of the French Academy, brought to this country in person by Emile Brieux, the French playwright. The letter was made public at the time, White house officials recalled, and said it contained only felicitations of a general character.

## Sends 'Interview' to Paris

PARIS, April 1.—Gabriel Alphonse, secretary-general of the Temps, who was introduced to President Wilson at the White house on Wednesday by the French ambassador in Washington, has sent to the Temps an interview which he says he had with the president.

"I am glad to see an American soil," President Wilson is quoted as having said. "Frenchmen who come to satisfy themselves as to the state of opinion in the United States. I am sure that will give you cause reasonably to complain of that opinion."

"Definite questions are at times considered by France or others of the belligerent countries as proof that the Americans are not neutral. Some times one and sometimes the others of the combatants. The two groups of belligerent nations complain of the attitude of the American government in equally vigorous terms. Each time one of these cases arises it is not proof that the government of the United States is conscientiously observing the rules of neutrality."

"The Germans or the allies may at times find that we are exacting—that the American government sticks too closely to these rules. The war will not last forever. When it is finished such a nation will perhaps be glad that we have maintained the rules against which she protests today."

## Has Expressed Views

"France will avoid the error of believing what individuals of the peoples in the conflict often think—that is, that he who is not actively for them is against them. As to my own sentiments regarding France, I addressed a letter to the president of the French republic that expresses them clearly. Be sure that I do not think anything less than what that letter says."

M. Alphonse says he asked President Wilson if the contemplated increase in the American army and navy had any precise object, and that the president's answer had been that the augmentation has been regarded rather than hurried by current events. We desire to avoid false interpretations.

Asked if an early end of the Mexican trouble could be hoped for, President Wilson is reported to have said: "It is indeed difficult to reply. A favorable symptom appears, however, in the last indications received here. They show a better disposition on the part of the principal Mexican chiefs to understand why they have to respect the lives and interests of foreigners. Nothing shall be neglected by the American government to accentuate these tendencies."

The letter referred to by M. Alphonse, it is understood, was delivered three weeks ago to President Poincare by Col. Edouard M. House, who is in Europe observing conditions. The letter, it is said, was read to the French cabinet upon the members of which it made an agreeable impression.

## PLANS BEING PERFECTED FOR AIDING UNEMPLOYED

DENVER, April 1.—The state committee on unemployment and relief today continued its conference with W. M. Kenzie, Kansas relative to plans for utilizing the \$100,000 made available by the Rockefeller foundation for relieving unemployment conditions, particularly in the coal mining districts of Colorado. The fund was provided to supplement assistance by the individual, county and state authorities.

A. A. Root of Boulder, secretary of the committee, made public some of the plans for the distribution of relief. As far as practicable the money will be distributed in payment for labor. The committee had decided upon road work as the means of disposing of the greater part of the fund. The first work it was stated, would be the improvement of a stretch of road 35 miles long beginning at Trinidad. The committee conferred with Gov. Elias A. Carter today.



## THE SPECTER

## ETHEL IS READY TO MAKE DASH TO SEA

Takes on 1,600 Tons of Coal, Enough to Reach Nearest German Port

NEWPORT NEWS, Va., April 1.—Sixteen hundred tons of coal—enough to take her to the nearest German port—had been placed aboard the cruiser Prinz Eitel Friedrich tonight, and Captain Thierichens was preparing to take stores aboard Sunday. While he told friends he was much relieved, now that his ship was coaled, he declined to discuss his plans and the immediate course of his raid still was problematical.

During the day local government officials were in communication with Washington and Collector Hamilton conferred with Captain Thierichens on board the German ship, then with Rear Admiral Helm, commander of the Atlantic reserve fleet. At a late hour tonight nothing had been learned concerning the conference. Throughout the day and tonight the James river was patrolled by American sailors in a launch from the battleship Alabama, while coast artillerymen kept guard at the Eitel's pier. Guarding of the Eitel was determined upon because of repeated threats that have reached the captain and also to shipyard officials here. The Eitel's pier represents a miniature military camp. Army tents have been pitched and a machine gun was mounted at the pier's approach.

## STEAMER SOUTH POINT SUNK BY SUBMARINE

LONDON, April 2 (Friday).—The British steamer South Point, the crew of which was landed yesterday at Lisbon, was not lost in a storm, as at first reported, but was sunk off Cape Finistere, according to a Reuter dispatch from Lisbon.

## FOR YOUR CALM CONSIDERATION

## AN ORDINANCE RELATING TO PLACES OF PUBLIC ENTERTAINMENT

Be It Ordained by the City Council of the City of Colorado Springs, Section 1. Any person or corporation duly licensed to operate and conduct a place of public entertainment in the city of Colorado Springs may open such place for pay on any day of the week; provided, however, that on the first day of the week, commonly called Sunday, no exhibition or performance shall be presented other than lectures, vocal or instrumental concerts, moving pictures, vaudeville, or stand-up acts.

Section 2. All ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

The tourist is the city's greatest asset. Practically every summer visitor asks where he can find a good moving picture show on Sunday. Wouldn't it be good business to give the tourist the innocent amusement he demands? The foregoing ordinance is one of several being spread throughout the city in favor of Sunday amusements.

The Gazette believes, however, that the greatest asset of Colorado Springs, the city of homes, is not the tourist but the character of its men, women and children. We believe, too, that only a small percentage of summer visitors care to attend motion picture shows on Sunday, because the same attractions and the same line are what they seek. They have enough of the movies in their homes to see.

We do not think for a moment that you, the citizens of Colorado Springs, who have your heads set, who have fought year in and year out for a better and cleaner city, will give up next Tuesday afternoon, of the ground you have won in order that it be given business to give the tourist the innocent amusement he demands.

VS-2 IS ON THE AMUSEMENT ORDINANCE.

## ENGLAND AND GERMANY EXCHANGE THRUSTS WITH AIRSHIP AND SUBMARINE

Britons Raid Base at Zeebrugge, While the Teutons Sink Two More British Vessels

Russians Continue Drive in the Carpathians Against Almost Insurmountable Obstacles; Belgrade Again Bombarded by Austrians; Operations in Dardanelles Still in Abeyance

LONDON, April 1.—While the German submarines continue their activity around the coasts of Great Britain, the naval wing of the Royal Flying Squadron keeps up its attacks on the German submarines which are being built at Hoboken and on the submarine base at Zeebrugge.

The Germans have added two more steamers to the long list of merchantmen sunk off Beachy head. The victims this time were the French steamer Emma, which was torpedoed yesterday, without notice, 19 of her crew going down with their ship, and the British steamer Seven Seas, sent to the bottom this afternoon without warning, 11 of her crew being drowned.

The British losses already reported for the week ending March 31 were five steamers. A sixth vessel was torpedoed, but reached port. During the week, however, 1,550 vessels entered and sailed from British ports, so, except for the deplorable loss of life, the damage done was not considered excessive.

Two Submarines Hit. On the other hand, the British have no means of ascertaining the nature of the damage done by the bombs dropped at Hoboken and Zeebrugge, although it is believed that two of the underwater craft lying at the mole of Zeebrugge were damaged.

Beyond these attacks the official reports contain little news today and that which they do give relates only to operations of minor importance. Mine warfare has been continuing at various points in the west and at other points there has been artillery, aerial and occasional infantry attacks, but nothing that has in any way approached the proportions of a battle.

In the east, the armies stand about as they were. The fighting in north Poland has been of a desultory character, both sides apparently having given up any idea of advancing for the present. In central Poland, however, the Russians are showing a certain liveliness.

Czar's Troops on Offensive. The German official reports for the last few days have noted attempts of the Russian troops to resume the offensive on the Rukva river, which they claim to have repulsed.

These movements, doubtless have been undertaken to prevent the Austrians and Germans from sending reinforcements from this front, to strengthen the armies which are trying to hold the Carpathian passes against the onslaught of the Russians, who daily report the capture of a large number of prisoners, but who apparently are making very slow headway in the operations against Lodz and Lwow passes. The Russians also are

On Tuesday, 30 officers and 370 men and four guns and 14 machine guns.

On the direction of Chybi, several Austrian battalions, holding a fortified position in the village of Salsbery and Malines, were surrounded on March and partly exterminated. We captured 1,000 of the survivors.

HOUSE REINSTATES UTILITY BILL SECTION

Senator W. C. Robinson Scores Hilts as Lobbyist in the Senate

DENVER, April 1.—The house of representatives today passed on second reading the bill reinstating section 35 of the law creating the public utility commission. This section gives the power to grant or refuse permission for the construction of a public utility.

The measure was debated at length and passed by a vote of 38 to 27. Three bills, designed to reimburse coal companies for losses sustained during disasters in connection with the recent coal strike, were passed on second reading by the senate.

Senator Landish, who opposed the bill in committee, voted to amend the committee's adverse report so as to approve the measure and explained this action by stating that it was the wish of the attorney general to have the bill pass to test their constitutional claims.

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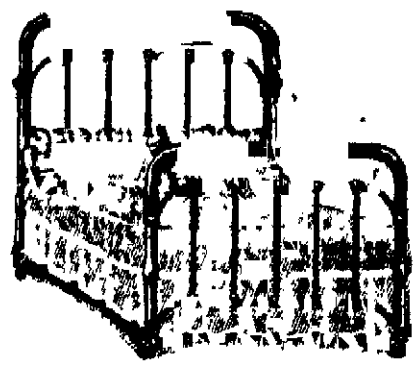


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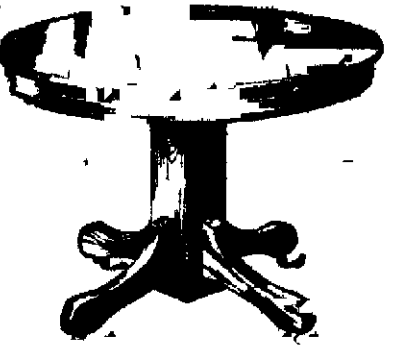
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## FARMERS BANKING SYSTEM PROPOSED

WASHINGTON, April 1.—Government aid to farmers in farm mortgages will be instituted by a group of representatives in opposition to the next session of Congress, it is reported. The group of representatives, including the majority of Texas and California, are working for a bill to be introduced in December.

The congressional joint committee on rural affairs, it is said, that does not favor the bill, but that it is not yet decided whether it will be introduced in the next session of Congress.

We have polled all the members of the house and found that enough of the new members favor these proposals to carry them. We carried them from one to one in the last house. There is no doubt about the result. Members of the rural credit joint committee are studying the whole question of rural credit, preliminary to a bill to be introduced in December.

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## DIVERS ON WAY TO LOCATE SUBMARINE

Will Encounter Great Risk in Working at Depth of 300 Feet or More

WASHINGTON, April 1.—Admiral Moore, in charge of operations to raise the long submerged submarine F-4 from the ocean bed outside Honolulu harbor, cabled to the navy department today that he was proceeding with the work, pending the arrival of a special diving apparatus and a corps of expert naval divers from New York.

The apparatus was forwarded to San Francisco late today to be shipped to Honolulu on the cruiser Maryland. Rear Admiral Moore's dispatch stated he would not be able to report any progress for several days, but that he was making preparations to lift.

The diving apparatus is due to reach San Francisco late Monday night and the five divers were under orders to proceed immediately to embark on the Maryland. The divers are Gunner G. D. Stillson and Gunner's Mates Drellishak, Griley, Nelson and Loughman. Dr. G. W. R. French, who has been observing their experimental work in Long Island sound for several weeks, will accompany the squad to Honolulu. That the divers were entirely confident of their ability to work on the ocean bed 300 feet or more below the surface was indicated tonight in a statement by Secretary Daniels, although he said there was "considerable risk" in diving operations at such depth.

Only Hops of Raising Vessel.

The statement said, "The great depth in which the F-4 lies, about 270 feet, places her outside of the reach of ordinary diving operations without the special appliances with which this party is equipped. Practically the only way of reaching her with hoisting chains and slings is by means of sweeping wire hawsers or chains under her, such a method being necessarily hit or miss. When these deep divers reach Honolulu it will be possible for them with their experience and special appliances to go down to the wreck. Hoisting slings and chains can then be attached. In such a case, of course, there is much greater probability of raising the sunken vessel."

"The navy deep divers have been down as deep as 214 feet in Long Island sound and are confident that they can work at a depth of 300 feet or more. Even with experience, however, there is considerable risk in diving operations at such a great depth. I am determined to do all that is humanly possible in order to ascertain the cause of the disaster in order to avoid a repetition of this. Unless the accident was of such a nature as to disable the men in the boat almost instantly it is practically certain that some of the personnel would have left records showing what happened."

Daniels Answers Critics.

Secretary Daniels after a conference with Chief Naval Constructor Taylor and Rear Admiral Griffin, chief of the bureau of steam engineering, issued another statement tonight replying to what he considered unwarranted criticism as to the condition of the submarine engines and batteries. Mr. Daniels asserted that congress had appropriated all the money that the department had asked for the upkeep of submarines.

Other causes assigned for the loss of the F-4, he said, are that her engines were of poor design and that her batteries required overhauling. The engines are some of the first Diesel engines provided for submarine boats, and from the very nature of things are not as good as later engines but they were in every way reliable and in good working condition.

The most recent reports from the F-4 show that both engines were in excellent condition during a 48-hour run. As to the battery, a report of January 1915 the last one on record, states that an overhaul had been completed and that the battery was in good condition.

An abundant supply of battery material was in store at Honolulu so there was no reason why the battery should not have been in splendid condition at the time of the accident, as indeed there is no evidence that it was not. Therefore, nothing within the knowledge of the navy department warrants any doubt as to the condition of the engines or batteries of the F-4.

Diving Tube Tested.

HONOLULU, April 1.—Repeated tests were made today of the diving tube constructed by engineers for the purpose of facilitating the work of raising the submarine F-4, which has been lying since a week ago today on the bottom of the ocean just outside the harbor here.

Two divers experimenting with the apparatus in the harbor this afternoon going down considerable depths. It is understood that the tube proved satisfactory and it is expected the divers will use it tomorrow at the spot where the F-4 is believed to have been located.

Robert P. Smith, commanding the submarine flotilla here, is engaged in assembling the salvaging material available at the port and organizing a force to deliberate and thorough cleanup. Work will be begun in a week before the wreck and apparatus arrive from the main land.

A memorial service for the families of the men who perished in the submarine will be held after the bodies are recovered.

## INSPECTOR DUCE IS UPHELD BY REPORT

DENVER, April 1.—The special committee to investigate affairs relative to the conduct of the office of state oil inspector held by James Duce, submitted its report to the house today. The report said nothing was found to show that Duce is "other than capable and qualified." The report also stated that Duce is "entirely competent to perform the duties of his office."

## Not Forgetting Your Easter Eggs?

For the men and the boy—the new Spring Suits and Hats and Shoes—Shirts and Neckwear, too.

## ALLIED WARSHIPS CONTINUE DARDANELLES BOMBARDMENT

LONDON, April 2.—According to a Reuter dispatch from Athens, a dispatch from Tenedos says that several of the allied warships continue an intermittent bombardment of the Dardanelles, solely to protect the mine-sweepers and to prevent the Turks from repairing their batteries.

## SPRINGFIELD, MASS., STREET CAR STRIKE CALLED OFF

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., April 1.—The strike of the employees of the Springfield Street Railway company which has paralyzed city and interurban trolley transportation for the last two days, was declared off tonight. The men will resume work at once.

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## LIVESTOCK SCOURGE NOW IS WIPED OUT

124,141 Animals Slaughtered and Thousands Lost by Recent Epidemic

WASHINGTON, April 1.—Practical eradication of the livestock foot and mouth scourge in the United States was announced tonight by the department of agriculture. Officers in charge of the campaign waged against the disease during the last six months said that with the exception of a herd of animals near Syracuse, N. Y., which had been designated for slaughter today, the telegraphic reports from inspectors throughout the country showed the disease had been wiped out.

Figures compiled by the department showed that 124,141 animals have been slaughtered because of foot and mouth infection from the time of the outbreak in October to March 25, last. It was pointed out, however, that the total loss caused by the disease could not be estimated alone by the number of animals killed. Interference with the operations of the Chicago stock yards and other principal shipping points, the quarantining of infected regions in practically all of the cattle-raising states, and other precautionary measures ordered by the department to prevent the spread of the disease during its worst stages, it was said, had caused considerable losses. Only a few infected herds have been reported since March 25, and it was said all these had been slaughtered. Concerning the probability of future outbreaks from the disease, a statement by the department tonight said:

"Although all the infected animals have been killed and buried, it is by no means certain that all possible means of conveying the infection have been destroyed. It is considered inevitable, therefore, more will be stricken; but these should be only sporadic cases, which, if promptly reported, can be taken care of in time to prevent any further serious spreading of the disease."

Cost Country \$7,500,000.

The \$2,500,000 emergency fund which congress placed at the disposal of the secretary of agriculture to combat contagious diseases, officials of the department said, was practically depleted in financing the war against the foot and mouth disease.

Preliminary estimates place the actual cost to the federal government of animals killed because of the plague infection at between \$2,000,000 and \$3,000,000. The government paid only 50 per cent of the value of the animals slaughtered, the states, in the majority of cases reimbursing the owners with an equal amount.

The total value of animals killed by both the state and federal authorities, therefore, would be between \$5,000,000 and \$8,000,000.

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## WESTERN ROADS ARE PILING UP SURPLUS

Nebraska Rate Expert Shows Why Increased Rates Are Not Essential

CHICAGO, April 1.—U. G. Powell, rate expert of the Nebraska railroad commission, was subjected to a prolonged cross-examination at the interstate commerce commission hearing of the western freight rate case today. He appeared in opposition to the 41 western roads petition for increased freight rates on certain commodities. These increases, the roads say, are necessary to equalize rates and to increase their revenues in order to maintain their properties.

Mr. Powell presented figures intended to show the roads were generally prosperous and that they averaged in earnings more than 6 per cent. Certain of the roads which would participate in the increases, if granted, he said, were accumulating surpluses.

"As an expert of the Nebraska commission, haven't you always opposed increases in freight rates?" asked C. C. Wright, general counsel for the railroads.

"I can't say that I have always opposed them. The commission instructed me to get the facts," said Mr. Powell.

"You have always been on the opposing side, haven't you?"

"Yes." The witness said that in arriving at his figures he had not had time to consider all the roads involved, but he had taken a representative list composed equally he thought, of the strong and the weak ones. Among the strong ones he included the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy, Atchafalaya, Topeka & Santa Fe, the Sunset line of the Southern Pacific, the Chicago & North Western, the Chicago & St. Paul, the Chicago & Milwaukee, and the Chicago & St. Louis. Among the weaker ones

Claim Figures Are Not Representative. The contention of the railroads was that Mr. Powell's figures showing a prosperous condition were based on a majority of the stronger roads, representing 47,000 miles, while the ones he called weak represented only 17,000 miles.

You call the Kansas City Southern a weak road when the fact is its earnings are \$12,000 a mile, among the highest in the list."

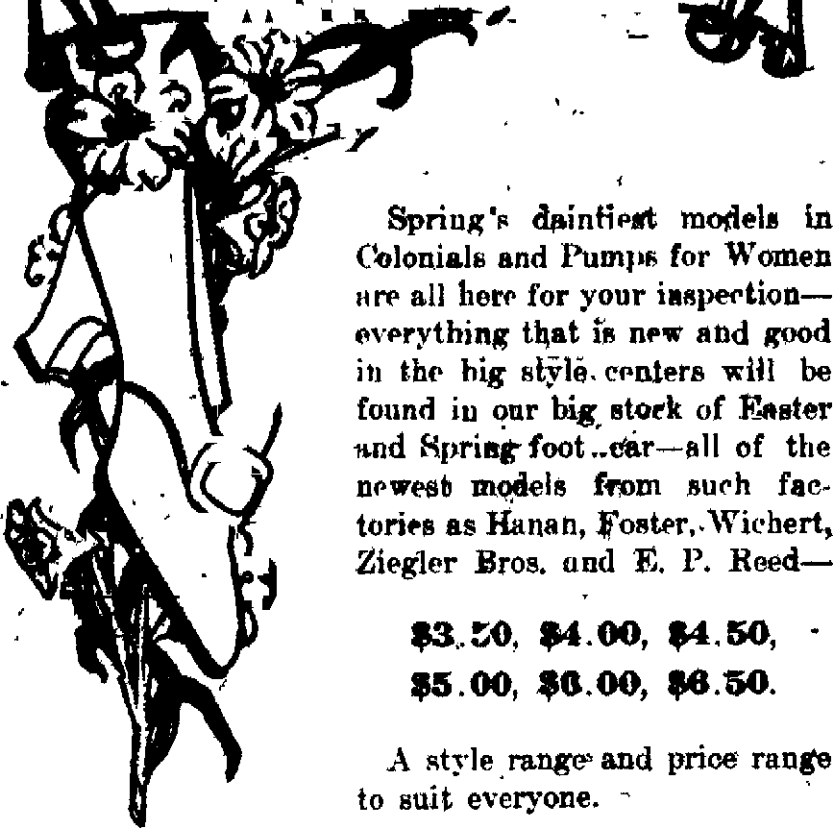
Mr. Powell stated he had not included roads in receivership.

Do you mean a road in the hands of receivers should have no consideration in reference to adequate rates?"

"If their location is representative they ought to be considered."

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## THIEVES COME TO GRIEF IN STOLEN AUTOMOBILE

"Bluebird" Taken in Front of Princess Theater Last Night Found Wrecked on Casaday Avenue

The Chalmers "Bluebird" automobile, belonging to Horace Franz of Ivywild, was stolen from in front of the Princess theater last night at 9 o'clock and was found by the police at the corner of Nevada and Platte avenues at 1 o'clock this morning, with one front wheel crushed. The thieves had driven the car into the curb. How long it had been there was not known, but the police believe that the robbery found it shortly after the accident happened. This is the first automobile theft that has been reported here for some time. There were 40 autos stolen in Denver last month.

## SUGAR BEET CROP LAST YEAR WAS BUMPER

WASHINGTON, April 1.—The rich sugar content of beets and a high percentage of extraction helped to make a good crop of beet sugar in the United States in the campaign beginning in 1914, the department of agriculture announced today. Production amounted to 722,054 short tons, about 11,000 tons less than in 1913. The area harvested was 430,800 acres and the acre yield 11 tons, the largest since 1906.

## "Nothing to Eat but Shredded Wheat"

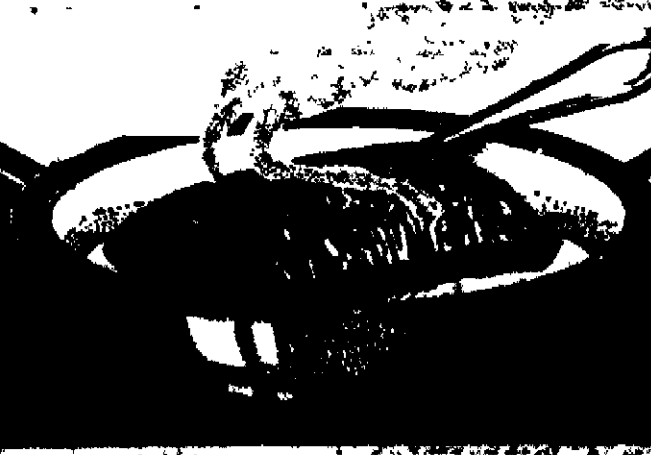
and the richest man in the world could not buy anything more nutritious or more easily digested. Happy is the man or woman who has learned through strict of stringent economy the real goodness of

## Shredded Wheat

It means good digestion, physical and mental vigor, the power to do things that are worth while. A daily diet of Shredded Wheat will put the working on its feet. Try it for ten days.

Made in America

Two Shredded Wheat Biscuits in the box are here. Each box contains 24 biscuits. A box of Shredded Wheat Biscuits is a delicious treat for the whole family.







## SINTON AND MCLEERY ACCEPT INVITATION AND EXPLAIN CONFLICTING STATEMENTS

Letter Says He Was Misquoted; Former Did Not Hear McCleery but Doubts 'Veracity of Newspaper Report'

Ernest Sinton, secretary of the Colorado Springs Single Tax club, and J. W. McCleery, an active worker in the interests of the single tax campaign, have accepted the invitation to give a simple, unequivocal explanation of conflicting statements made publicly by them as to the relationship between single tax and Socialism. In an address Sunday night McCleery was quoted as saying, "Single tax is but one step toward Socialism. You go with me to single tax, and I'll go with you to complete Socialism." Two days later, in a letter accepting the resignation of B. D. Sommers as treasurer of the Single Tax club, Sinton said: "If you have been made to believe that single tax means Socialism and government ownership, you have been deceived."

Concerning these conflicting representations as to the meaning of single tax, Sinton says that he did not hear McCleery's address and that consequently he is not in a position to confirm or deny the veracity of the newspaper report. He does not believe, however, that McCleery made the statement quoted above. McCleery, in a letter of equal length, takes the position that he was misquoted, that he was misrepresented and that he did not say many of the things he was quoted as saying. Several who attended the meeting, however, have volunteered the information that Mr. McCleery was not misquoted. The letters in response to The Gazette's invitation are given herewith:

**By ERNEST SINTON**  
To the Editor of The Gazette:  
I have read your editorial entitled "None of Us Can," that appeared in this morning's Gazette. After touching on the matter of Mr. Sommers' resignation from the Single Tax club, you conclude your editorial with an invitation to Mr. McCleery and myself to explain, in the columns of The Gazette, our conflicting representations as to the meaning of single tax.

I did not hear Mr. McCleery at the Socialist hall, and consequently I am not in a position to confirm or deny the veracity of the newspaper report. I do know that I have had many conversations with Mr. McCleery, in which he has not only disavowed any faith in Socialism as a means of securing equal opportunities, but has expressly told me that he considered it impractical. In telling me of his speech at the Eagles hall, he told me that the idea he intended to convey was that if complete single tax should be tried and found wanting in its claims to the establishment of equal opportunities for all, he would cast his lot with the Socialists in their struggle for a state of society that would at least take care of the unfortunate, in preference to the present system of organization that has for its main motto: "Everybody for himself and the devil take the hindmost."

**Doesn't Believe He Said It.**  
There is a wide gulf between such a declaration as this and the newspaper report, "Single tax is but one step toward Socialism."

As for the statement, "You go with me to single tax, and I'll go with you to complete Socialism," I don't believe that Mr. McCleery made it. Your reporter, while ransacking his memory for the exact words, knowing that The Gazette was publishing "The Single Tax amendment," might have given his own side the benefit of the doubt, and colored the report in such a way as to prejudice the voters against the single tax. This is not insinuating that such action would be intentional; it would be simply human nature.

That the news concerning single tax has been colored by both papers in favor of its enemies during this campaign is a fact that has been apparent to those who have been attending the meetings. The Gazette has been a mild offender in this matter, but the Telegraph has been very one-sided in its reports.

In conclusion, I wish to say that there are a great many people who contemptuously decline to make any distinction between matters that are essentially different. With an easy wave of the hand they class Socialism, single tax and anarchy in the same category. Living a life of ease and contentment, it is hard for them to see that other people often suffer intensely from the nervous and physical strain incident to the struggle for existence. They don't want to make distinctions; it is too inconvenient "don't you know?"

The fact remains, and intelligent, earnest men will perceive it, that there is an essential difference, not only between single tax and Socialism, but between single tax and the nationalization of land. As between the holders of the three different doctrines, we are the only ones who uphold both human rights and property rights. Property is based upon the rendering of service, whether in the past, present or future. If this is so (and it is), then it must be evident that neither the government nor the individual can be said to own land in the same way that other things are owned, since nothing human made the land. And since justice demands that equal opportunities be secured with reference to land, the storehouse of nature then it is the duty of the government to collect the annual premium value, or economic rent, arising from inequalities of possession, in order to maintain that equality of opportunity. Especially since it will enable the state to discontinue the present confiscation of private property in the form of taxes on personal property and improvements.

**By J. W. MCLEERY**  
To the Editor of The Gazette:  
With a disposition to be charitable to the feeble-minded, I have overlooked your distortions and misrepresentations of my public utterances in the past. But your report of my Sunday night's speech in Eagles hall, in your issue of March 25, and of your editorial of March 30, marked the limit.

I did not say, as your report quoted me, "that single tax is but one step toward Socialism." I did not say that single tax is not a tax reform; I did not say that it is not a system of taxation; I did not say that single tax was the only thing that would prevent revolution. I did say that single tax was one step in the direction of lifting the load from the back of labor. I did say that single tax means not only tax reform, but social revolution as well. What the report quoted me as saying was what I read from Mr. Shields' booklet, and you know Shields is liable to say any old thing. I did say that unless society found some way of correcting the injustice of the present economic system, revolution such as they had in France would come. (And it will come, and the methods of deception and misrepresentation being used by the antisingle taxers in this campaign will hasten the day of its coming), and that single tax would prevent it.

The report says: "One man in the audience, who took advantage of the opportunity to ask questions, seemed to be very much worried about what he termed 'change of policy' of The Gazette."

Then, in the editorial, you say I "discouraged" on the changed attitude of The Gazette toward single tax and intimated that The Gazette had sold out to the enemy. I did not discuss on the attitude or policy—changed or unchanged—of The Gazette, for the very good reason that I did not consider it capable of having an attitude or policy on any public question.

**"A Little Joke in Sign Language"**  
The inference that The Gazette was susceptible to "influence" came in the form of a question which I declined to answer. I did, however, thoughtlessly, and perhaps indelicately, joke a little in sign language concerning a certain class of papers with which single taxers have had some very unpleasant experiences. It seems, however, that the joke touched a "very tender spot" in The Gazette; and if you believe, Mr. Editor, that owing to existing conditions I would logically put The Gazette in that class, you have a right to exercise your own judgment in the matter, and it is certainly on account of the exercise of your own judgment that I accused you of being susceptible of "influence."

You say in the editorial that "I was brought here from Kansas City by the single taxers to conduct their campaign." On the contrary, I am not conducting the campaign, and was not sent here for that purpose. Had I the honor of being campaign manager, not a dollar of single tax money would ever have been paid for advertising space in The Gazette or any other paper unfriendly to the movement. It is not my policy to furnish ammunition for the enemy. Money and misrepresentation are the things with which antisingle taxers load their guns.

You say you shudder to think of the vote-getting effect of the methods of my campaign. Then let me warn you, don't you ever stop to think of the methods of the antisingle taxers, or you will have an earthquake. The editorial further recites: "Incidentally, it may be well to advise Mr. McCleery of an error in his statements, which is probably due to his brief residence of two weeks in Colorado Springs;" and then you throw about seven kinds of fits about change of attitude on the part of The Gazette, which I never mentioned. "Incidentally," let me advise you, Mr. Editor, that if you will peruse your own columns, you will find from distorted and misleading reports there-

## PRINTERS HOME BOARD TO DISCUSS IMPROVEMENTS

President Scott, Secretary Hays and Director McCaffery Here for Four-Day Session

The finance committee of the board of trustees of the Union Printers home, consisting of Murlan G. Scott of New York, president of the International Typographical union, J. W. Back of Indianapolis, secretary-treasurer of the I. T. U., and Thomas McCaffery of Colorado Springs, will begin its four-day session today at the home. This meeting, which is an annual affair, is one of auditing the books year and of recommending improvements for the coming year.

The board generally recommends the expenditure of several thousand dollars for improvements of a minor character, and probably will this year. No large additions to the buildings are contemplated.

## PLANS BEING DRAWN FOR NEW RECEIVING HOSPITAL

Structure at M. W. A. Sanatorium Will Cost \$50,000; Many Other Improvements Under Way

In addition to building a \$50,000 receiving hospital and a laundry costing about \$6,000, extensive landscape gardening will be done this spring at the Modern Woodman sanatorium, north of Colorado Springs, according to a report of the directors, who have returned east after finishing their work here. The contract for preparing the plans and specifications has been let to MacLaren & Thomas, and bids will be asked about May. Dr. J. A. Hurd, superintendent of the sanatorium, left last night to join Mrs. Hurd, who is in San Francisco. The improvements planned for the grounds will be extensive, including cement walks throughout the property.

## Speer Speaks Tonight at Taxation Meeting at the Opera House

Robert W. Speer, former mayor of Denver, will be the principal speaker this evening at a mass meeting to be held at the Opera house, under the auspices of the Just Taxation league. Other speakers from Denver will be John C. Gallup, Frederick J. Chambers and J. S. Flower. Charles H. Shields of Seattle also will speak and will answer questions from the floor. There will be music by the Temple quartet. The meeting will begin at 8 o'clock.

Mr. Speer has studied the taxation problem throughout the world, and his experience as mayor of Denver has given him an insight into the workings of this question in municipalities.

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The Kind You Have Always Bought

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## DENVER AND MANITOU ROADS TO BE REPAIRED BY COUNTY

The county commissioners have made arrangements to put the Denver and Manitou roads in first class condition in the immediate future. The contract for graveling the county road between Colorado City and Manitou has been awarded to Ed Honnen for \$480 and Contractor McLean was given the work of graveling four miles of the county road north of Colorado Springs for \$1,082. The contractors will only place the gravel on the roads and the county will spread and roll it.

In of single tax meetings at which I spoke, that I have been here much longer than two weeks. The whole trend of the report and editorial is to give a Socialistic color to the single tax movement, for the purpose of discrediting it. Then you accuse me of throwing bouquets to the Socialists for the purpose of getting votes.

**His Attitude Toward Socialism.**  
The single tax is not Socialism; I am not a Socialist, and do not endorse the Socialist philosophy, and I do not state very plainly before the Socialists; but I will say this for the Socialists: They recognize the injustice of the present economic system and are honest enough to blame the injustice on society, of which they are a part, and not on God, as some of the antisingle taxers do. They are also in favor of a square deal, which probably accounts for the dislike which some of them have for The Gazette.

By the way, Mr. Editor, let me call your attention to the very able single tax article by Dean Parsons, which you published under an antisingle tax headline in your issue of March 30. The dean proves beyond question the soundness of the single tax doctrine, although he seems to think we claim too much in the line of results.

## AFTER GRIPPE

Mrs. Findley Made Strong by Vinol  
Beverly, Kans. "The Grippe left me in a weak, nervous, run-down condition. I was too weak to do my housework and could not sleep. After trying different medicines without benefit Vinol restored my health, strength and appetite. Vinol is a grand medicine and every weak, nervous, run-down woman should take it."—Mrs. Gen. Findley.  
Vinol, our delicious cod liver and iron tonic, sharpens the appetite, aids digestion, purifies the blood, and builds up natural strength and energy. The Robinson Drug Co., Colorado Springs, Colo., and at all drug stores.

**Ribbons**  
Wide, pure silk ribbons in plain, fancy and more effects. Light, medium and dark colors. In this lot are values worth 25c, 40c, 50c, 60c and 65c each. In one big lot at... 25c

**Wilbur's**

Centered Kid Gloves in white, tan and gray. Regular \$1.50 and \$1.75 goods. In mostly small sizes, on sale at the nominal price of, per pair... .95c

# PRE-LEASTER SALE

All spring lines are now at their best and particular women will have no difficulty in finding just what they require for the Easter season. In addition to the advantages of choosing from our carefully selected lines we are offering a number of good specials for Friday and Saturday selling, as quoted below:

<p><b>Pre-Easter</b> <b>Petticoat Sale</b> Black, white and colors. In fine messaline, satin and jersey top Petticoats. In various styles and all sizes. Regular \$5 and \$6 values for \$3.85.</p> <p><b>Easter Gloves</b> This stock embraces all the newest things for street or evening use. New sand shades and embroidered backs. Complete line of fabric gloves in well-known makes. Grace, charm and doekin wash gloves. No trouble to find what you want at the price you wish to pay. Lines range 50c to \$4.50 a pair.</p>	<p><b>Pre-Easter Sale of</b> <b>SPRING WAISTS</b> A great special purchase of Spring Waists and a number of broken lines included in one big lot. There are silks, crepe de chine, figured crepe, fancy stripes, chiffons, etc. in dozens of styles, including lace sleeve effects. Big line of colors and all sizes. Here are waists ranging in value \$5.00, \$6.00, \$8.50 and \$7.50 each, at the uniformly low price of</p> <p><b>\$3.75 EACH</b></p> <p><b>Easter Hosiery</b> Reliable makes of both silk hosiery and cotton hosiery for women and children. Complete lines now ready. Special showing of women's foot length silk stockings in black, white, tan and taupe, in all sizes. The best value we know of at the popular price of 50c a pair.</p> <p><b>Easter Parasols</b> All the newest popular shapes as well as the extreme styles are shown in this stock at the most attractive prices quoted for many a season. Unusually good values in silk umbrellas for men and women.</p>	<p><b>Pre-Easter</b> <b>Handkerchief Sale</b> Ladies' all linen initialed Handkerchiefs, 6 in a box; two styles initial; regular 20c value (sold in box of 6 only) for 60c box.</p> <p><b>Easter Neckwear</b> A beautiful new line of spring neckwear, including many styles shown here exclusively. Come in and look through this line. One lot of fine hand-made neckwear, slightly misused, being closed out at 25% discount.</p>
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## Wilbur Hats at \$5

For several days we have been preparing Hats for this sale, which is the greatest offering ever made here at this price. Dozens of this spring's most stunning styles in real value. The immense assortment assures every one of finding a suitable model. Individuality is a feature of these Hats as well as all other Wilbur lines. Make a selection early while the assortment is at its best. The sale of these Hats at... .50

Continues during the rest of this week.

**Sample 206**  
**Little Tudor Beach Suit**  
Ages 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6

- 200. Brown Stripes, Tan Trim.
- 202. Blue Check, White Neck.
- 203. Solid Pink, White Trim.
- 204. Solid Navy, White Trim.
- 205. White Navy Striped Trim.
- 207. White Navy, Red Trim.
- 208. Blue with White Stripes, Navy Trim.
- 210. White with Blue Stripes, Navy Trim.
- 211. White with Pink Stripes, Pink Trim.

### LITTLE TUDORS

A complete new line of these popular garments just received, including sleepers, creepers, beach suits (like cut), rompers, etc. All sizes now at the uniform price of... 50c

### "DUCKEY WADDLES"

Play suits and rompers for children. Shown in cotton crepe, gingham, chambray, percale and linen in white and colors. Most attractive line of this class of garments ever shown here. Prices range, each... \$1 to \$4

### CHILDREN'S DRESSES

Wash garments of the better class for girls, 6-14. Big line of light and dark effects in challies, ginghams, linens, seersuckers, ratine, percale, etc. This entire lot at... 1/4 off

### WHITE DRESSES

For girls 6-16 years of age. Shown in lawn, dimity, rep, mull and swiss. Embroidered lace and ribbon trimmed. Some slightly misused or soiled. Values up to \$9.00 in this lot at... 3.50

## IS OUR FIRE PROTECTION EQUAL TO KANSAS CITY AND OMAHA

COLORADO SPRINGS HAS ONE WEAKNESS

A comparison of Colorado Springs' fire fighting equipment with that of other cities shows that in many respects we need not be ashamed. Nearly all of the apparatus is now motor driven, which has materially reduced up-keep as well as giving greater speed.

The firemen of this city are as well qualified for their work as those of other cities. Their records have always been such as to make the city proud of them.

One thing more is needed to bring our fire department up on a par with the above cities. The TWO-PLATOON service has been tried for over five years and neither city would return to the old system. Omaha citizens and firemen are enthusiastic over it. The men bring one meal and stay on duty twelve hours. Those who are on night duty during one week exchange places with the other platoon and go on duty the next week. The men are contented and happy, being enabled to be at their homes part of the time. Meal hours or days off do not need to be granted. A large, trained reserve fire-fighting force can be called on at any time.

### Government to Enforce Many Conditions About Auto Road Up the Peak

The automobile road to the summit of Pikes Peak will be a good advertisement for the Colorado Springs region, according to C. E. Noble, one of the promoters of the new driveway, and hundreds of motorists will want to make the trip.

"The importance of having this road in operation as soon as possible this year is evident when the probable volume of tourist business is taken into consideration," said Mr. Noble, yesterday. "The season promises to be the largest the Pikes Peak region has ever seen. Every owner of an automobile visiting here will be anxious to make the novel trip, and, having made it, will tell others of his feat."

"Several attempts in the past to do something with the old wagon road have resulted in failure, presumably for lack of necessary capital. The principal question then was, can such a road be built by the local public or the government, so as to make it a free highway, or must it be built by private individuals?"

Up to Private Capital.

A canvass of this matter, according to Mr. Noble, showed that the counties of El Paso and Teller could and would not afford the necessary funds. The city of Colorado Springs could not spend the money outside of the city limits or the park system, and therefore it became clear that the road could only be constructed through the efforts of private individuals and by private capital. The idea of an automobile road to the top of the mountain was unanimously endorsed by all to whom the project was presented.

"An application was made to the forestry department, in charge of the Pike National forest, for a permit to construct an automobile road through the forest. This department, in considering this matter, sent its officers to investigate and determine whether a free road could not be built. After such investigation, the forest supervisor for the district made his report, convinced that the local powers could not construct the road in question."

Many Conditions.

"Upon this report the department at Washington authorized the taking of a permit based upon conditions and reservations that carefully protect the public and the government in the use and disposition of the completed road. Maps, plans and specifications have to be filed before any work can be done. Construction must begin within six months, sworn itemized statements of cost must be filed with the forestry within six months after completion. Compliance with the requirements of the city of Colorado Springs is as to particular precautions, as approved by the forestry department, from use of road to forestry officials, purchasers of national forest products, free ingress and egress of local residents within and adjacent to boundaries of forest reservation, as designated by forest officers; officers and employees of city of Colorado Springs and town of Cascade, in performance of official duties; reservation of right to fix toll charges, and, looking to a free road in the future, the right, after it is so to take over the road by purchase, paying only its reasonable physical value."

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**THE WEATHER**  
WASHINGTON April 2 Forecast,  
Colorado—Fair today and Saturday

The following meteorological record  
is furnished by the Colorado Springs  
weather bureau for the 24 hours end-  
ing at 6 p. m.  
Temperature at 6 a. m. 30  
Temperature at 12 m. 40  
Temperature at 6 p. m. 48  
Maximum temperature 52  
Minimum temperature 28  
Mean temperature 38  
Max. bar. pressure, inches 24.95  
Min. bar. pressure, inches 24.19  
Mean velocity of wind per hour 4  
Max. velocity of wind per hour 11  
Relative humidity at noon 38  
Dew point at noon 30  
Precipitation in inches 0

**CITY BRIEFS**

**MCCARTHY & CRANDALL**, Plumb-  
ers. Adv.

**P. E. O. RUMMAGE** sale at Alamo  
sample room, Saturday, April 3. Adv.

**HOME-COOKED** food sale by Chris-  
tian church, Keystone grocery, Satur-  
day, from 9 to 10. Adv.

THE display of Easter plants at  
Crump's is especially fine. Don't fail  
to see it. 511 E. Columbia. Phone  
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**CLOTHING** or anything suitable for  
rummage sale, for widow with four  
children, to pay debt on house 7 S.  
Cascades, April 2 and 3. Adv.

THE Good Friday Passion service  
will be held from 12 to 3 o'clock today  
at St. Stephens church. The Re-  
proaches will be sung and addresses  
given on "The Seven Last Words."

**"IS DEATH THE END?"**—Rev.  
Thomas Robbent preaches Sunday  
morning, at All Souls church. All non-  
churchgoers are invited to spend  
Easter, when everybody goes to  
church, in hearing a vital question  
discussed rationally. Adv.

**TOUR PARTY**—A Raymond &  
Whitcomb tour party reached here  
yesterday afternoon for a stop of two  
days. The party is conducted by W.  
L. Wade and is on its way east after  
a visit to California and the expositions.  
Members of the party will  
spend the time sight seeing.

**REFINING COMPANY TO BUILD**  
The annual meeting of the United  
States Refining & Refining company  
of this city will be held at Jersey  
City, N. J., Friday, April 2. The  
Standard plant in that city is  
owned by the company. A plant  
will attend the meeting. The company  
has not been active for several years.

**PRINTING SIGNS** "Don't Stop on  
the Sidewalk" is a sign that is being  
painted on the curb at every street  
intersection in the business section of  
the city. The work is being done by  
the direction of Health Officer  
L. H. Hett.

**INCORPORATION** The City of  
Greeley has been incorporated as a  
corporation in the state of Colorado.  
The city is located in the town of  
Greeley, in the county of Weld.  
The city is named in honor of  
the late John H. Greeley, who was  
one of the founders of the city.

**JOHN STONE** has been elected

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business Brown & Sons, proprietors  
of the Colburn ranch, have pur-  
chased the Colburn ranch and all of  
its contents.

The Colburn ranch, one of the  
best known in this state, has been  
sold to the Brown & Sons. The  
ranch, which has been in the hands  
of the Colburn family for many  
years, is now being operated by  
Brown & Sons. The ranch is  
located in the town of Greeley,  
in the county of Weld. The  
ranch is one of the best in the  
state, and is well equipped for  
the raising of stock. The  
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**Spring Lamb for**  
**Paster**

We have had some of the finest  
spring lambs ever seen,  
specially fattened for us for this  
Easter. They are young, tender,  
and sweet-meat, and will make  
the most appetizing of July  
roasts.

Your dinner will be an un-  
qualified success if you serve up  
special spring lamb. Order it  
now.

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**Societies and Clubs**

Monte Rosa Rebekah lodge, No. 4  
will meet this evening at 8 o'clock in  
Odd Fellows temple. Candidates will  
receive the degree.

Ladies auxiliary No. 79 N. A. L. O. C.  
will hold regular meeting in the  
federal court room this afternoon at  
2:30 o'clock.

The Women's association of the Uni-  
versalist church will hold an all-day  
meeting at the home of Mrs. Belle  
King, 31 Ramona avenue, today. Re-  
freshments will be served at noon.

El Paso lodge No. 13 A. F. and A.  
M. will meet in special communica-  
tion this afternoon at 4 o'clock and  
evening at 7:30 o'clock. There will be  
work in the M. M. degree. Visitors  
welcome.

The regular monthly meeting of the  
Woman's union of the First Congrega-  
tional church, which was to have  
been held today, has been postponed  
for one week on account of the union  
services.

Colorado council No. 1114, Royal Ar-  
caneum will hold a special meeting this  
evening at 8 o'clock, in Moose hall 120  
North Tejon street, to initiate a large  
class of candidates. An informal mu-  
sical program will be given after the  
meeting and that will be followed by  
a smoker. All members of the order  
are invited.

The Grand council will hold its an-  
nual convention in Denver Saturday,  
April 17. F. A. Prior of this city will  
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One can no more escape the lure of the west as Colonel Cody (Buffalo Bill) knows it, than history can escape its obligation to give Colonel Cody a large red lettered chapter when the big events and characters of the nation are summed up for posterity.

And because of this fact the men and women, boys and girls who are living in the day with Colonel Cody



should crowd the Empress theater today and tomorrow and Thursday and go with him, via the film route, through the stirring episodes of his life, afield and at home.

We'd think it a great privilege to watch George Rogers Clarke fight for and take Vincennes and thus save the Mississippi valley and the west to the colonies.

We'd walk a long way and deprive ourselves of many comforts if by some necromancy we could be allowed to see old Ben Franklin sign the Declaration of Independence and hear him tell about how he defied the British king.

We'd think we were favored indeed if Fate allowed us a glimpse of those minute men of Concord who "fired the shot heard around the world," or Paul Revere, making his dashing ride, or Lee and Grant under the apple tree at Appomattox.

Secretary Lane Introduces Little Daughter to Cody

Not long ago I saw Franklin K. Lane, secretary of the interior, meeting Colonel Cody. There was actual reverence in the official's eyes and deep respect in his voice as he said to the last of America's great scouts, "I have always hoped for this day."

Then the secretary followed his own introduction to the colonel by bringing

"THE WHITE TRAIL"

"The White Trail," a two-reel feature, produced in Colorado Springs by the Pikes Peak Film company, will be shown at the Opera house next Thursday, April 8. The picture was produced under the direction of Mr. O. B. Thayer, and has for its featured leading people Miss Josephine West and Mr. George Gebhardt, supported by an unusually strong cast, and employs several local people in the larger

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with Avon Fayer, Victor Sandek and Carl Bernthaler.  
Mr. H. Calvin Jordan, another member of the company, studied piano and harmony with De Rosin and Gemet. He began playing the harp at an early age with his father who was one of the first harpists in western Pennsylvania. He is well-known as a soloist and has had large orchestra experience. He has also been prominently associated with church work in Pittsburgh. He plays not only the harp and piano, but the mandocello and the banjo.

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**OPEN PARLIAMENT**  
(Continued From Page Eight.)  
big churches in other cities, is what will be presented to the people of Colorado Springs at the moving picture houses.  
J. E. TOMPKINS  
Manager, Princess Theater.  
Colorado Springs, April 1.

**WANTS WILLIS**  
To the Editor of The Gazette:  
Noting contributions from some of the people interested in the musical world, I wish to say that in the endorsement of Mr. W. R. Willis for commissioner of public health we have a candidate well worthy of the support of the entire population. The unselfish zeal in promoting the concert, free to all regardless of station, the record of clean-uprightness in all his affairs, are the right kind of evidence, in administering the affairs of the public. I hereby know him by sight, but am well acquainted with his record, and that is what we are all interested in.  
P. E. FREEMAN.  
Colorado Springs, April 1.

**THE SINGLE TAX**  
To the Editor of The Gazette:  
You published a number of articles entitled, "The Case Against Single Tax."

Now, I beg to differ with the author in one particular. For example, in article 2, the gist of his argument is, that the desire on the part of settlers to get land with the expectation of that land increasing in value caused the frontier to be extended across the United States.

A. M. Simons, in his "Social Forces in American History," shows clearly that economic necessity born of overcrowding population in the old world was largely responsible for the settlement of America, and the extension of the frontier from the Atlantic coast to the Pacific ocean. The economic necessity of a dispossessed class was the motive force which caused the settlement of this country, and this class came primarily with the object of farming the land, and not with the desire of becoming land speculators. The opportunity afforded in a newly settled country of becoming their own employees attracted large numbers towards the frontier.

Possibly, if single tax was adopted and applied nationally it would have the effect of freeing unused land from private control and enable members of the nonproductive class to obtain access to land, and in some measure restore those happier days, when the frontier had not reached its utmost limits, when involuntary unemployment was practically unknown, and a position of economic independence easy to secure. This was the situation when land was easily accessible to all. The national application of single tax would result in relieving in some degree the existing congested state of the labor market, and is a partial solution of prevalent economic problems.

**CHARLES MANNING.**  
Montion, April 1.

To the Editor of The Gazette:

In answer to a letter of Sunday, March 27, signed "Martha," it has occurred to me to ask her, if she has ever read anything about single tax except what the opposition has to say. I would suggest that she look into both sides of the question before making up her mind definitely.

Mr. Shields says not to allow the single tax to work on your emotions. Who has tried to do this very thing more than our opponent? And he has misrepresented every quotation he can find.

Why not go to someone who really knows about the Fels fund, which has been sturred by the opposition in every possible way, and find out where and why it was founded? You will be surprised, no doubt, to hear that a great many workmen and women subscribed to this fund, which is the so-called "Fels-Naptha-Snap-Fund." Now, single tax does not mean government ownership of land, but more private ownership, and therefore will not affect you in the least.

Your personal property and improvements would be exempt, thereby allowing you a great deal more money to spend on your home and your children.

Why allow the rich to escape taxation any longer? Don't you know if single tax were to benefit them they would not be fighting it and paying such a sum as \$5,000 to do so. Single tax does not claim that all land must be improved; some of it hasn't any value. But why should any man be allowed to own more ground than he can use, and force other men to go away, because they cannot pay the price the speculator asks? Make the land monopolizer pay to the city according to the land values he holds by taxing him for the privilege to hold it out of use.

Go to the assessor's office and look up the assessment of the personal property of some of the opposition and see how much personal property and diamonds they are assessed for, then go to these people and see their fingers covered with these same diamonds they don't own when the assessor comes to their homes.

Study over the question a little longer, a little better, "Martha."

**G. D. C.**  
Colorado Springs, April 1.

**Women Aroused Over Action of Suffrage Body**

**NEW YORK, April 1.**—Lively discussion was aroused among the officers and members of the National Woman Suffrage association today by the action of the advisory council of the Congressional Union for Women Suffrage here yesterday in advising its members to withdraw from the national association, which has been regarded as the parent body.

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Other Silk Waists, mostly of crepe de chine or shadow laces and nets over silk, white and all the wanted new shades, priced from \$4.50 to \$6.75.

**I let Nothing Keep You From Seeing Our Millinery**

And come this morning, if you can, because we are rushed almost to the limit! This "after Easter" showing of ours is appealing! Our Millinery Parlors are resplendent with the brightness of the newest Hats being shown. Even up to yesterday, we were still receiving rush shipments. The assortments of Trimmed Hats from our own milliners is unusually large and every hat in harmony with the newest fashion thoughts. "Try Hibbard's First" for Easter Hats and your shopping will be over!

**Hats for the Girls, too!**  
Neat little shapes of Panama, Milan and peanut braids, in white and light colors, with bright trimmings. A table full for girls 6 to 12 years old, priced from \$1.25 to \$2.75. New Poke Shapes for misses' as well as other styles.

**Ribbons for Hair Bows, Sashes, Etc.**

The newest Ribbons are the black and white effects, checks in all sizes up to one inch, also stripes, floral, etc., 29c to 50c yd. Plain Satin Taffeta Ribbon, seven inches wide, in sand, putty, battleship gray, Belgian and other blues, and staple shades, 39c yd. Grosgrain Ribbons, in the three popular widths for Millinery, in sand, white black, Belgian blue and battleship gray.

Rock Crystal Jewelry, a new, inexpensive but pretty setting cut in various shapes, mounted on white metal.  
Lavalieres at 75c.  
Hat Pins, Bar Pins, Waist Pin Sets, Ear Drops, etc., at 59c.

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Do not attempt to wear those new Easter Clothes over an old Corset! To do so will modify their beauty of design and fit. The new corsets we want to fit you in are made distinctly for the new Spring Fashions. In one you will realize the whole possibilities of your figure.

At \$5 A model for well developed and average figures, made of white figured broche, with low bust, good length over hips and back, with deep elastic gores over each hip, giving a smooth, perfect fit with comfort.

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**Veils and Veilings Stylish and Pretty**

Made Veils Hexagon and the new square and novelty meshes, with large velvet dots and squares, white and black effects, Copenhagen blue with black, contrasting effects in navy blue, brown, taupe, gray, etc. black and white chantilly lace; priced from 75c to \$1.50.  
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Veilings by the yard a complete showing of meshes, dotted, bordered, chantilly lace, etc., in black, white, sand, putty and a full line of staple shades 25c to 60c a yard.  
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**Choose Your Easter Handkerchiefs from These New Ones**

A large importation just received in the dainty color effects. At three popular prices we have:

Sheer mercerized batiste Handkerchiefs, with dainty color borders or embroidery combining white and a color 15c each.  
Very sheer batiste and Shamrock Lawn Handkerchiefs, in a splendid assortment colored embroidered edges, borders, one-corner designs, etc., and the new embroidered wide hems. 19c each; 3 for 50c.

The largest line of all Made of fine pure linens, in rich and dainty effects; plain white or colored spoke hemstitching, colored hems, with embroidery designs, one-corner effects, etc., and plain white hemstitched and with shadow cross bars, hems ranging from 1/8 to 2 inches in length. Choose from the many at 25c.

Small Sterling Silver Hat Pins, plain tops, 25c a pair.  
Sterling Silver Lingerie Clasps, 25c a pair.



average figures; medium low bust-with long skirt, elastic straps over lower back section, with free hips, six hose supporters attached.  
At \$2.50 A well developed figure model, with very low bust, long hips and back, spoon shaped front steels with elastic reinforcements over each side of the abdominal section.

**CONVICT ROAD WORKER ESCAPES BOULDER CAMP**

**BOULDER, April 1.**—Edgar Bricker, aged 21, a member of the convict gang from the state penitentiary which is engaged in constructing roads in Boulder county, escaped from his guards late last night and has not been recaptured. Deputies from the sheriff's office spent the day in searching the country around the convict camp, but no trace of the fugitive could be found. It is believed that he made off over the hills.  
Bricker was sent to the penitentiary from Fremont county for burglary. He can neither read nor write.  
The B. & N. V. will men rise in the case of the crowded hall, clear to the door, when the fire started if any fire.











